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## **AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This communication is submitted on August 2, 2011 in response to the non-final office action mailed May 11, 2011. No fees are necessary.

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